

## Message Text

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AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SREF  
SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE BOAT CASE REFUGEES: REPORTING REQUIREMENT

REF: STATE 282798 HONG KONG 13544

1. FOLLOWING IS RESUME OF BOAT CASES TO DATE:

A. BOAT CASE REFUGEES REACHING HONG KONG:

BOATS	REFULLES
PRIOR 6/30/76	4 # 3,909
AFTER 7/1/76	7 172

B. NUMBER OF REFUGEES ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRIES AFTER  
JULY 1, 1976: 58 (NO CHANGE FROM DATA SUPPLIED REFTEL).

C TOTAL NUMBER OF REFUGEES REMAINING IN HONG KONG:  
FORTY EIGHT (48). OF THIS TOTAL TWENTY NINE (29)  
ARE BOAT CASE REFUGEES AND NINETEEN (19) ARE EPP  
CASES PROCESSED BEFORE 6/30/76 AND STILL  
AWAITING TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION.

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2. FYI: SINCE THE POST BEGAN PROCESSING INDOCHINESE  
REFUGEES UPON THE ARRIVAL OF THE MV CLARA  
MAERSK IN 1975, A TOTAL OF 3,058 INDOCHINESE  
REFUGEES HAVE BEEN ADMITTED TO THE U.S. FROM  
HONGKONG.  
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